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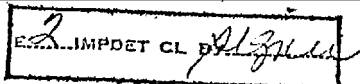
STAT 1. (Unclassified - DFM) Called Bill Jones, INR/OIL, in response to his call to [redacted] regarding the Agency's response on S. 99. The bill, introduced by Senator Hubert H. Humphrey (D., Minn.), would create a Joint Committee on National Security. I gave Mr. Jones the thrust of our response and said I would send him a copy of it after it had been finalized.

2. (Unclassified - JMD) Gretchen Kline, in the office of Representative Tennyson Guyer, called and asked if we would have any interest in a young man with a Spanish language capability for summer employment. After checking with the Office of Personnel, I called her back and said the deadline for summer employee applications was 1 January and we really did not have an opening for anyone with Spanish language capabilities right now. She said she appreciated my checking and thus avoiding a delay.

STAT 3. (Unclassified - JMD) Jim Oliver, Office of Management and Budget, called and asked for a copy of the unclassified statement by the Director before the House Appropriations Subcommittee on Defense yesterday. He asked that I send a copy to [redacted] D/Compt, to send to him. STAT

John Warner.

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1. (Internal Use Only - PLC) Jim Oliver, ~~OMB~~ called seeking our guidance in responding to a letter OMB had received from Senator Adlai E. Stevenson, III (D., Ill.) in behalf of a constituent. The constituent raised a number of questions, including whether she was being "bugged" by CIA. Oliver said he was going to reply along the lines that OMB felt assured that the CIA had not engaged in such activity; however, the constituent may wish to contact the Agency directly. I advised him that under the circumstances this reply seemed best.

2. (Internal Use Only - PLC) Called Bill Hogan, Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, and requested permission to allow Howard Osborn, former Director of Security, to review transcripts of his testimony before the Nedzi Subcommittee investigating Watergate, which have been reviewed for public release. Hogan said there was absolutely no objection. Hogan again pressed strongly for us to return as soon as possible those transcripts now under review since he is receiving considerable pressure for their publication. I explained that there were some serious concerns and this matter had been discussed with the Director, and George Cary has discussed these concerns with Representative Lucien N. Nedzi (D., Mich.).

I also asked Hogan in his next conversation with Chairman Nedzi to inform him that Chairman George H. Mahon (D., Tex.), House Appropriations Committee, had scheduled the Director for an open session on 20 February to discuss the allegations that the Agency engaged in domestic surveillance. Hogan said he would be talking to Mr. Nedzi later in the afternoon.

3. (Unclassified - PLC) Called Alan Parker, Counsel, House Judiciary Subcommittee on Civil Rights and Constitutional Rights, in regard to a call earlier from a secretary, Gail Sullivan, directing a number of questions concerning the composition of the Agency within the United States and abroad. I requested that he explain the purpose of the inquiry. Parker apologized and said to disregard the request. He claimed the calls had been made without his knowledge or approval and were the result of a misunderstanding within the Subcommittee.

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